

AMENDMENT TO THE DRAWINGS:

The attached sheets of drawings include changes to the drawing sheets containing Figs. 1-10. This sheet replaces the original sheets for Figs. 1-10.

In the drawings, the sheet numbering information, inventorship and attorney docket identification have been removed from the top of each sheet of drawings.

REMARKS:

Allowed claims

Applicants acknowledge and appreciate allowance of claims 9-24. All other claims have been canceled.

In the Drawings:

The drawings have been objected to.

The inventorship and attorney docket identification have been removed from the top of each sheet of drawings, as requested by the Examiner. Withdrawal of the objection is respectfully requested.

In the event a telephone conversation would expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner may reach the undersigned at (408) 971-2573. For payment of any additional fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 09-0466 (Order No. SJO920030022US1).

Respectfully submitted,

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